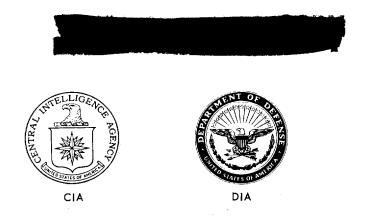
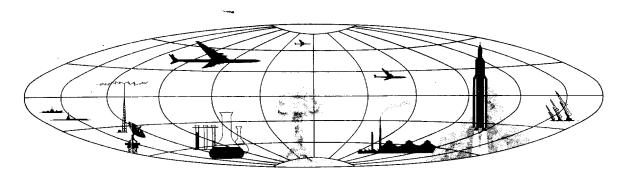
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IMMEDIATE PHOTOGRAPHIC INTERPRETATION REPORT

THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3668 DATED 20 JULY 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

25X1A

MATANZAS SAM SITE 2301N 08129W

TWO LAUNCHERS AND 3 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

25X1D

25X1A

CHAMBAS SAM SITE 2213N Ø7853W

SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS, 7 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 10 PROBABLE CANVAS-COVERED TRACKED PRIME MOVERS, 6 OTHER VEHICLES, AND AN OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA WITH 6 VANS OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

DELEITE SAM SITE 2259N Ø8Ø45W

SITE CONTAINS 6 REVETTED LAUNCHERS, A CANVAS-COVERED HOLD POSITION, ONE CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTER, AND A GUIDANCE REVETMENT WITH RADAR AND 4 VANS.

25X1D

25X1A

CAMAGUEY AIRFIELD SAM SITE 2122N 07750W

SIX UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS, 7 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS, 8 SETS OF BOGIE WHEELS, APPROXIMATELY 15 UNIDENTIFIED VEHICLES, AND A GUIDANCE AREA WITH 4 VANS AND RADAR OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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25X1D

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CAMPO FLORIDO CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2306N 08211W

CANVAS-COVERED GUIDANCE-CONTROL AREA OBSERVED. HAZE PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

-AIRFIELDS-

25X1A

CAMILO CIENFUEGOS AIRFIELD 2229N Ø7955W



AIRCRAFT -- 11 FAGOT/FRESCO AND ONE LIAISON OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

25X1D

25X1A

CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2125N Ø7751W



AIRCRAFT -- ONE CRATE AND ONE LIAISON.

25X1D

25X1A

CORONEL PASCUAL AIRFIELD 2307N 08117W



AIRCRAFT -- 2 HOUND/HARE.

25X1D

25X1A

JOSE MARTI INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2300N 08224W



AIRCRAFT -- 2 PROBABLE BRITANNIA, ONE PROBABLE COOT, 4 CRATE, 3 CONSTELLATION, 3 C-54, 4 C-46, ONE LODESTAR AND ONE LIAISON.

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PLAYA BARACOA AIRFIELD 2302N 08235W

AIRCRAFT: -- AT LEAST 17 HOUND.
SCATTERED CLOUDS AND HAZE PRECLUDE FURTHER
INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

25X1A

JAIME GONZALES AIRFIELD 2209N 08025W

NO AIRCRAFT OBSERVED.

-PORTS-

25X1D

25X1A

MARIEL PORT AND NAVAL AIR STATION 2301N 08245W



VESSELS -- AT LEAST 5 PROBABLE KOMAR-CLASS PGMG AND ONE PROBABLE FREIGHTER. HAZE PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

25X1A

PUNTA ALEGRE PORT 2223N Ø7847W



NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

CIENFUEGOS PORT 2209N 08027W

VESSELS -- 3 POSSIBLE FREIGHTERS.
HEAVY HAZE PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

25X1A

NUEVITAS PORT 2132N Ø7716W

VESSELS -- ONE PROBABLE TANKER AND ONE COASTAL FREIGHTER.
OBLIQUITY PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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25X1D

LA ISABELA PORT 2256N Ø8ØØ1W

25X1A

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

CAIBARIEN PORT 2232N Ø7928W

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

CARDENAS PORT 2302N 08112W

VESSELS -- ONE LARGE FREIGHTER OBSERVED: IN CLOUD-

25X1D

25X1A

CASILDA PORT 2145N Ø7959W

NO LARGE VESSELS OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

JUCARO PORT 2137N 07851W

VESSELS -- 2 LARGE FREIGHTERS (ONE WITH BOOMS ACTIVE AND BARGES ALONGSIDE NANCHORED 6 NM SOUTH OF PORT.

25X1D

25X1A

MATANZAS PORT 2303N 08134W

VESSELS - 4 LARGE FREIGHTERS. NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

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HAVANA PORT 2308N 08221W

VESSELS. -- 2 KRONSHTADT-CLASS PC, 3 PCE, ONE PF, ONE PROBABLE PF, ONE PT, 20 LARGE FREIGHTERS, ONE LARGE TANKER, AND 11 COASTAL FREIGHTERS.

25X1D

-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

LA BOCA, MILITARY CAMP 2301N 08242W

AT LEAST 18 VEHICLES OBSERVED.

25X1D

CAMAGUEY AREA, MILITARY CAMP 1 2121N Ø7751W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
NINETEEN ELECTRONIC VANS AND 38 OTHER VEHICLES
OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

25X1D

SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY ACTIVITY 2221N 07957W

ELEVEN TANKS/SP GUNS AND 8 OTHER VEHICLES OBSERVED. OBLIQUITY PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

CAMAGUEY AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2126N Ø7753W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.
AT LEAST 10 VEHICLES OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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MANAGUA, MILITARY CAMP 2258N 08217W

APPROXIMATELY 29 LOWBOY TRAILERS OBSERVED. HAZE PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

CANTEL, MILITARY CAMP 2302N 08119W

25X1A

FIFTEEN TANKS/SP GUNS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

25X1D

LOMAS TETAS DE MANAGUA, TANK PARK 2258N 08219W

25X1A

APPROXIMATELY 18 TANKS/SP GUNS OBSERVED. HAZE PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

TRINIDAD AREA, POSS MIL HEADQUARTERS 2150N 07953W

25X1A

NO VEHICLES OR MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

ALTAGRACIA, MILITARY AREA 2124N 07742W

NINE TANKS/SP GUNS OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

25X1D

25X1A

GUANABANA, MILITARY AREA 2258N Ø8132W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES.

THIRTY-TWO VEHICLES AND 18 FA PIECES OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

LIMONAR, TANK TRAINING AREA 2254N Ø8122W

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. NO TANKS OR VEHICLES OBSERVED.

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GUANABANA AREA, MILITARY CAMP 2258N Ø8134W

25X1A

NO APPARENT CHANGE IN FACILITIES. NINE.TANKS/SP GUNS OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

CEIBA MOCHA, MILITARY AREA 2257N Ø8143W

AT LEAST 9 VEHICLES OBSERVED.
SCATTERED CLOUDS AND HAZE PRECLUDE FURTHER
INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

25X1A

MINAS, MILITARY CAMP 2127N Ø7734W

NO APPARENT CHANGE: IN FACILITIES. SIXTEEN VEHICLES OBSERVED.

25X1D

25X1A

GUAYABAL MILITARY AREA 2254N Ø8237W

THIRTY-ONE VEHICLES, 15 POSSIBLE FA PIECES, AND 4 POSSIBLE AAA PIECES OBSERVED.
HAZE PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

25X1D

-MISCELLANEOUS ACTIVITY-

25X1A

SANTA CLARA AREA, MILITARY INSTALLATION 2224N Ø7953W

NO APPARENT CHANGE: IN FACILITIES. FOUR VAN. TRUCKS OBSERVED.

AIRCRAFT -- ONE HOUND OBSERVED IN HOSPITAL AREA.

25X1D

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25X1D



# -STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS SHOW NO APPARENT CHANGE SINCE LAST COVERAGE--

25X1A

TRINIDAD ATAMES MRBM SITE 2	
"" *NIUAU AIREIFID	2239N Ø7951W
MATANZAS LANDING BEACH	2147N Ø7959W
VARAUERO LANDINO DEACH	23Ø1N Ø8126W
CIENFUEGOS LANDING BEACH	2308N 08118W
	2202N 08036W

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED --

GUANAJAY IRBM SITE 1	25X1A
SAGUA LA GRANDE MRBM SITE 1	2257N Ø8239W
	2243N Ø8ØØ1W
TAPASTE AREA, STORAGE SITES	2257N Ø8236W
OFFINIOEROS SAM CITE	2303N 08207W
SAGUA LA GRANDE CAM CITT	2282N @0@04
SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2251N Ø8ØØ5W
CIEGO DE AVILA SAM SITE	2257N Ø8221W
OF VENTED SAM ACCEMPLY ADD.	2142N Ø785ØW
THINGON SAM VIIE	2226N 40445
SANTA CRUZ DEL NORTE CRUISE-MISCHE	2259N Ø8215W
SANTA CRUZ DEL NORTE CRUISE-MISSILE SITE HAVANA AREA	2309N Ø8156W
TO TOUR AREAS LIMMINITOATEONS	2306N 08226W
LA FLORA AREA, MILITARY STORAGE	2300N 08226W
CLUCULUS AREAS MILITARY CAME	2252N Ø8233W
	2628IV 01944W
TOTAL CAME A	2307N 00211
SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS AREA	2301N 0022
SAN JOSE DE LAS LAJAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP SANTIAGO DE LAS VEGAS AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2255N 08210W
SOUTHOUSE WILLIAMS COND. E.	2258N Ø8220W
""" ON OGA PIN STODACE	2259N Ø8228W
LIMUNAR AREA. MILITARY CAND	2256N Ø8149W
Title O. HEUR HIDE, M.H. TTANSS	2256N Ø8124W
BAJURAYABO AREA MILITARY CAMP	2307N 08206W
CAMP CAMP	2308N 08210W
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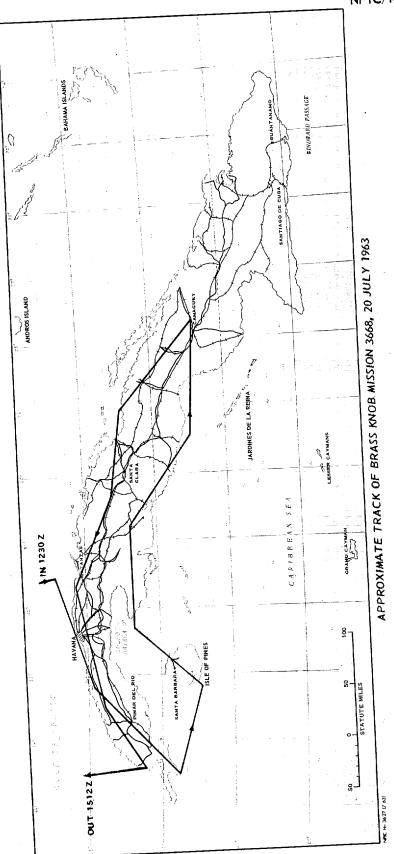
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GUANABACOA, MILITARY AREA	25X IA	
LUMA DE TIERRA, MILITADY CAMO	23Ø7N Ø8215W	l
MAYANA AKEAO MILITADY CAMO	23Ø1N Ø8213W	l.
CL: UKIULLU MILITADV CAMD	23Ø1N Ø8218W	
MILITARY CAMP	2259N Ø8225W	
PAVANA VEHICIF DADK	2306N 08211W	
ANTON RECIO. MILITARY INCTALLATION	23Ø9N Ø8215W	
TO THE OF ANNUR TRAINING AND A	2211N Ø8Ø36W	
SI COINC AREA ALPHA	2258N: Ø8Ø59W	
SPECIAL AREA HOTEL	2258N Ø8227W	
SPECIAL AREA VICTOR	2301N 08246W	
ENSENADA COLORADO LANDING BEACH	2300N 08234W	
TOTAL CONTROL OF LANDING MINISTER CO	2202N Ø8Ø25W	
MANAGUA, MUNITIONS STORAGE SITE BEJUCAL, MUNITIONS STORAGE SITE	31/E2303N Ø8218W	
TO THE STATE OF TH	2256N Ø8223W	
MANICARAGUA AREA, EXPLOSIVES STORAGE SITE		
	2206N 07958W	

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